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In the Claims:

B1 sub cr2 4. (Twice Amended) A peptide according to claim 1 wherein the peptide [is selected from the group of peptides having the Formula II - X] comprises a peptide selected from the group of peptides consisting of SEQ ID NO 1, SEQ ID NO 2, SEQ ID NO 3, SEQ ID NO 4, SEQ ID NO 5, SEQ ID NO 6, SEQ ID NO 7, SEQ ID NO 8 AND SEQ ID NO 9.

B2 sub E3 6. (Twice Amended) A peptide according to claim 5 wherein the cyclic peptide [has the formula XI] comprises SEQ ID NO 10.

REMARKS

Submitted herewith are the following:

- (1) "Sequence Listing" for the nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence(s) of this application.

Each "Sequence Listing" is assigned a separate identifier as required in 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c) and 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.822 and 1.823.

- (2) A copy of each "Sequence Listing" submitted for this application in computer readable form, in accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(e) and 1.824.

- (3) A statement that the content of each "Sequence Listing" submitted and each computer readable copy are the same, as required in 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(g).

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, a conditional petition is made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time. Authorization is given to charge payment of any additional fees required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Acct. 13-4213.

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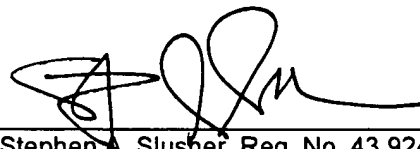
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If any issues remain, or if the Examiner believes that prosecution of this application might be expedited by discussion of the issues, he is cordially invited to telephone the undersigned attorney for Applicant, collect, at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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